



PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Juergen Krieger, et al.

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DETERMINING LEAKS AT THE SEAL OF A VALVE

Serial No.: 10/021,951

Group Art Unit: 2856

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Examiner: Michael Cygan

Assignee: ABB Patent GmbH

Docket No.: PHB71676

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL AND
PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

1. Applicant(s) herein petition(s) for an extension of time for a period of 3 month(s) to respond to the Examiner's Action, Paper No. 5, mailed on 12/23/2002, (the time to respond to which having been set to expire on 03/23/2003).

2. Extension

Months

- ☐ one month
☐ two months
☒ three months
☐ four months
☐ five months

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\$1,970.00

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1. Additional fee for the claims:

☒ not required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

<u>Number Filed</u>	<u>Number After this Amendment</u>		<u>Rate</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Total Claims:				
<u>21</u> filed and paid for on filing	15	x	\$18.00	<u>\$0.00</u>
Independent Claims:				
<u>2</u> filed and paid for on filing	3	x	\$84.00 =	<u>\$0.00</u>
Extra Fee:				\$0.00

Total Fees Due at this Time: \$930.00 (extension of time fee) + \$0 (fee for extra claims) = \$ 930.00

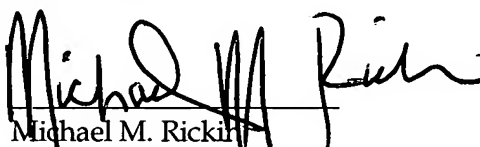
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